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Attached is the following for filing in the above-identified application.

(1) Response to the Office Action dated May 1, 2007.

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In response to the Office Action dated May 1, 2007, please consider the following remarks.

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A. List of the Claims

B. Remarks

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